

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
CORPUS CHRISTI DIVISION

MARC VEASEY, *et al.*,)
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 Plaintiffs,)
)
 v.) Civ. Action No. 2:13-cv-193 (NGR)
)
 RICK PERRY, *et al.*,)
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 Defendants.)
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *et al.*,)
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 Plaintiffs,)
)
 v.) Civ. Action No. 2:13-cv-263 (NGR)
)
 RICK PERRY, *et al.*,)
)
 Defendants.)
)
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TEXAS STATE CONFERENCE OF)
 NAACP BRANCHES, *et al.*,)
)
 Plaintiffs,)
)
 v.) Civ. Action No. 2:13-cv-263 (NGR)
)
 JOHN STEEN, *et al.*,)
)
 Defendants.)
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**VEASEY PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE TO UNITED STATES' MOTION
FOR A STAY IN LIGHT OF LAPSE OF APPROPRIATIONS**

Plaintiffs MARC VEASEY, *et al.*, do not oppose the motion “for a stay of all briefing, responses on behalf of the United States, court appearances, discovery obligations, and pre-discovery obligations...in the above captioned case.” We would note, however, that the requested stay does not impact the existing deadlines in the original action, *Veasey v. Perry*, Civil Action No. 2:13-cv-193. These existing deadlines include the October 11 joint report of meeting and joint discovery/case management plan due on October 11, and the Initial Pretrial and Scheduling Conference schedule for October 25, 2013.

The Veasey Plaintiffs intend to comply with aforementioned deadlines and understand that the State of Texas Defendants intend to do so also. However, if the lapse of appropriations continues for an extended period, these or other aspects of the case may be affected.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that on this 2nd day of October, 2013, I served a copy of the foregoing Veasey Plaintiffs' Response to the United States' Motion for a Stay on the following counsel of record by filing the same via ECF and emailing it to the following attorneys:

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